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Search Notes

10/810176
COST-BASED TECHNOLOGY AND MANUFACTURING EXCHANGE

Dear Examiner Wood:

Please find attached the results of your search for the above-referenced case. The search was conducted in Business Methods Template files in Dialog. Also, as required for a Full Template Search I searched *Financial Times* in ProQuest and the *Internet and Personal Computing Abstracts* in EbscoHost.

I have listed *potential* references of interest in the first part of the search results. However, please be sure to scan through the entire report. There may be additional references that you might find useful.

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****EIC-Searcher identified "potential references of interest" are selected based upon their apparent relevance to the terms/concepts provided in the examiner's search request.***

I. Potential References of Interest

A. Dialog

37/3,K/8 (Item 8 from file: 349)
DIALOG(R)File 349:PCT FULLTEXT
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00918699 **Image available**
A METHOD OF OPTIMIZING ALLIANCE AGREEMENTS
PROCEDE POUR OPTIMISER LES ACCORDS D'ALLIANCE
Patent Applicant/Assignee:
RUTGERS THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW JERSEY, 58 Bevier Road, Piscataway, NJ 09954-8010, US, US (Residence), US (Nationality), (For all designated states except: US)
Patent Applicant/Inventor:
CONTRACTOR Farok, 52 Old Denville Road, Boonton Twp, NJ 07006, US, US (Residence), US (Nationality), (Designated only for: US)
Legal Representative:
SCOLA Daniel A Jr (et al) (agent), Hoffmann & Baron, LLP, 6900 Jericho Turnpike, Syosset, NY 11791, US,
Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):
Patent: WO 200252766 A2-A3 20020704 (WO 0252766)
Application: WO 2001US49568 20011226 (PCT/WO US0149568)
Priority Application: US 2000258126 20001226
Designated States:
(Protection type is "patent" unless otherwise stated - for applications prior to 2004)
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Publication Language: English
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Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... therefore very desirable, and are increasingly used.

NEGOTIATION COMPLEXITY IN MULTIPLE CASH FLOW ARRANGEMENTS.

NON-ZERO-SUM- GAMES
However, creating multiple payment provisions in an agreement also greatly increases the level of negotiation complexity in forming the alliance. What, for instance is the tradeoff between 'Y' percent royalty and a "y" percent equity stake? How for instance, might the
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transfer-price markup, agreed upon between the partners, be weighed against the royalty percentage payable to one of them.

Alliance negotiations are often mixed motive games in which the partners simultaneously have convergent and divergent. A revenue stream such as royalties or transfer-price markups, earned by one of the principals acting as licensor or component supplier, is also going to be a cost to the other , or to the joint venture company in which both parties have a stake.

The transfer of knowledge and corporate capability, from one...

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX
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0010919770 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2001-541451/200160
XRPX Acc No: N2001-402440
Flexible license payment system for electronic commerce systems, such as computer readable media containing executable computer program
Patent Assignee: CHATANI M (CHAT-I); CHEN A A (CHEN-I); HIRANO H (HIRA-I); KUTARAGI K (KUTA-I); KUWAHARA T (KUWA-I); MACLEAN C B (MACL-I); PALMER P D (PALM-I); SAITO A (SAIT-I); SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT AMERICA (SONY); SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT INC (SONY); SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT KK (SONY); TAMURA K (TAMU-I); WAKIMOTO T (WAKI-I)
Inventor: CHATANI M; CHEN A A; CHEN A A Y; HIRANO H; HIRANO S; KUTARAGI K; KUTARAGI T; KUWABARA T; KUWAHARA T; MACLEAN C B; PALMER P D; SAITO A; TAMURA K; WAKIMOTO T
Patent Family (9 patents, 38 countries)

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KR 2002006684	A	20020124	KR 2001711831	A	20010917	200251	E
CN 1364272	A	20020814	CN 2001800509	A	20010116	200280	E
US 20030023563	A1	20030130	WO 2001US1427	A	20010116	200311	E
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JP 2003521046	W	20030708	JP 2001554241	A	20010116	200347	E
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Priority Applications (no., kind, date): JP 20008253 A 20000117; JP 200022553 A 20000131; JP 2000173754 A 20000609; US 2000625692 A 20000726

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US 20030023563 A1 EN PCT Application WO 2001US1427
JP 2003521046 W JA 83 PCT Application WO 2001US1427
Based on OPI patent WO 2001054019
TW 591457 A ZH

Alerting Abstract WO A1
NOVELTY - An order accepting device accepts an order for the article from a purchaser and a value added consideration is determined due to a value added provider of the article, based on information related to the accepted order. The value added provider comprises a license of the article. A set of members pays the license of the article in accordance with a predetermined value based on the information related to the accepted order. Upon order of a predetermined number of articles by a purchaser, a license royalty is paid to the value added provider.
DESCRIPTION - AN INDEPENDENT CLAIM is made for:

1.A server computer coupled to a network;
2.A sales management system for articles each having a selling price determined in accordance with atleast a manufacturing cost and added value;
3.A method for selling, by an agent, articles each
having a selling price determined in accordance with
at least a manufacturing cost and added value.

USE - In electronic commerce, particularly sales management system incorporating an inventory process and flexible royalty payment method for distributed software products.
ADVANTAGE - Provides stock-burden reducing sales -management system for articles such as computer-readable media upon which an executable program is written.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - Drawing is a functional block diagram of a sales management system according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: FLEXIBLE; LICENCE; PAY; SYSTEM; ELECTRONIC; COMPUTER; READ; MEDIUM; CONTAIN; EXECUTE; PROGRAM

Class Codes
International Classification (Main): G06F-017/60
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IPC + Level Value Position Status Version
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ECLA: G06F-021/00N7D, G06Q-030/00C
US Classification, Current Main: 705-052000
US Classification, Issued: 70552

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G06F-012/14    550 Z
G06F-017/60    142
G06F-017/60    170 E
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G06F-017/60    334
G07G-001/14
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F-Term  View Point  Additional
 Theme   + Figure   Code
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B. Additional Resources Searched

Record: 1

Title: License to kill.

Authors: Snyder, Bill

Source: PC Week; 5/30/94, Vol. 11 Issue 21, Inside pA/1, 2p, 1 color

Document Type: Article

Subject Terms: COMPUTER software -- Marketing

Abstract:

Reports on the rise of commercial trade in computer software components with ***licensed*** application codes. Percentage of ***royalties*** uncollected by the companies involved in the ***licensing*** deals; Flat-fee basis as alternative for ***licensing***; ***Costs*** of creating one's own technology; Fena's Technology Board of Trade's listings of available technology; Establishing what technology the company needs from the seller.

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Database: Internet and Personal Computing Abstracts

II. Inventor Search Results from Dialog

Patent Files

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File 371:French Patents 1961-2002/BOPI 200209
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File 344:Chinese Patents Abs Jan 1985-2006/Jan
         (c) 2006 European Patent Office
File 347:JAPIO Dec 1976-2009/Jul(Updated 091030)
         (c) 2009 JPO & JAPIO
File 350:Derwent WPIX 1963-2009/UD=200975
         (c) 2009 Thomson Reuters
File 349:PCT FULLTEXT 1979-2009/UB=20091119|UT=20091112
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File 348:EUROPEAN PATENTS 1978-200947
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S4         33   S1 OR S2
S5          0   S4 AND IC=G06Q
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0015253039  - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2005-603125/200562
Related WPI Acc No: 2004-266876; 2004-266942; 2005-303464; 2007-454433;
  2008-G80340
XRPX Acc No: N2005-494646
Method of operation of integrated circuit device e.g. hash content
addressable memory device used in network switches, involves comparing
search value for generating hash index and data value, to accordingly
generate match signal
Patent Assignee: NETLOGIC MICROSYSTEMS INC  (NETL-N)
Inventor: BERAHA R G; CARROLL L M; JANKOV R S; PEREIRA J P;
  RATHNAVELU S R
Patent Family (1 patents,  1 countries)
Patent                          Application
Number          Kind   Date     Number          Kind   Date    Update
US 6934796       B1  20050823  US 200261941     A  20020201  200562  B

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 200261941   A  20020201

Patent Details
Number          Kind  Lan   Pg  Dwg  Filing Notes
US 6934796       B1  EN   105   65

  Alerting Abstract US B1
  NOVELTY - A hash index (136) is generated using the hash index generator
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based on a search value. The search value and the data value such as key and validity value stored in the memory are compared, to generate a match signal, that indicates whether the search value matches the data value, and the match signal is output from the hash content addressable memory (CAM) device (130).
  USE - For operating integrated circuit (IC) device e.g. hash content addressable memory (CAM) device used in network switches and routers.
  ADVANTAGE - A high memory density can be achieved due to the absence of comparators in each storage cell of device. A search value is compared with only one memory entry per search, thereby the reducing power consumption required for searching operation.
  DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows a block diagram of the hash CAM device.
  130 hash CAM device
  132 entry
  134 match flag
  136 hash index
  138 indexed entry
  140 data bus

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: METHOD; OPERATE; INTEGRATE; CIRCUIT; DEVICE; HASH; CONTENT; ADDRESS; MEMORY; NETWORK; SWITCH; COMPARE ; SEARCH; VALUE; GENERATE; INDEX; DATA; ACCORD; MATCH; SIGNAL

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  G11C-0015/00 A I R 20060101
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US Classification, Issued: 36549, 711108
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0014362964 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2004-551631/200453
Related WPI Acc No: 2003-585427
XRPX Acc No: N2004-436319
Content addressable memory operating method in routers of computer network, involves translating particular segments of input string to generate comparand strings
Patent Assignee: JANKOV R S (JANK-I); KHANNA S (KHAN-I); PEREIRA J P (PERE-I); RATHNAVELU S R (RATH-I); NETLOGIC MICROSYSTEMS INC (NETL-N)
Inventor: JANKOV R S; KHANNA S; PEREIRA J P; RATHNAVELU S R
Patent Family (2 patents, 1 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update	
US 20040128434	A1	20040701	US 2001158	A	20011031	200453	B
US 7210003	B2	20070424	US 2001158	A	20011031	200729	E

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 2001158 A 20011031

Patent Details
Number Kind Lan Pg Dwg Filing Notes
US 20040128434 A1 EN 25 8

Alerting Abstract US A1
NOVELTY - Multiple comparand strings are generated by translating particular segments of the input string by a pre-programmed translation circuitry to perform different look ups in the content addressable memory (CAM) blocks. The segments in input string have different byte positions in the comparand string.
DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

1.content addressable memory operating apparatus;
2.content addressable memory device; and
3.article of manufacture comprising computer recorded medium storing content addressable memory operation program.

USE - For operating content addressable memory (CAM) device for performing look ups such as classification look ups, forwarding look up, e.g. next hop or longest prefix match (LPM) look up, media access control (MAC) look up, in routers of computing network operating in client server environment.
ADVANTAGE - Performs concurrent look ups on separate CAM arrays, by decoding a common input string to generate multiple comparands in parallel, rather than sequentially thereby significantly increasing the packet throughput in CAM.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows the block diagram of the CAM device.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: CONTENT; ADDRESS; MEMORY; OPERATE ; METHOD; ROUTER; COMPUTER; NETWORK; TRANSLATION; SEGMENT; INPUT; STRING; GENERATE; COMPARAND

Class Codes
International Classification (+ Attributes)
IPC + Level Value Position Status Version
G06F-0012/00 A I F B 20060101
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H04L-0029/06 C I R 20060101
ECLA: G11C-015/00, H04L-029/06
ICO: T04L-029:06N, T04L-212:002L2
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US Classification, Issued: 711108, 711108, 370392
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WPI ACC NO: 2003-585427/200355
Related WPI Acc No: 2004-551631
XRPX Acc No: N2003-466047
Content addressable memory access method in router, involves translating input packet header data to produce multiple headers that are matched with data stored in content addressable memory array
Patent Assignee: KHANNA S (KHAN-I); MADAMALA R R (MADA-I); NETLOGIC MICROSYSTEMS INC (NETL-N)
Inventor: JANKOV R S; KHANNA S; MADAMALA R R; PERIERA J P; RATHNAVELU S R
Patent Family (4 patents, 98 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update	
US 20030084236	A1	20030501	US 2001158	A	20011031	200355	B
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WO 2003038625	A1	20030508	WO 2002US28827	A	20020910	200355	E
AU 2002336476	A1	20030512	AU 2002336476	A	20020910	200464	E
US 6993622	B2	20060131	US 200277829	A	20020215	200610	E

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AU 2002336476 A1 EN Based on OPI patent WO 2003038625

Alerting Abstract US A1
NOVELTY - The translation circuits (315-317) translate the input packet header data to produce multiple headers of different widths which are then matched with the data stored in the content addressable memory (CAM) array.
DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:
1.a content addressable memory access apparatus; and
2.a content addressable memory device.

USE - For accessing CAM device (claimed) in router used in network computing system.
ADVANTAGE - Several headers of differing widths, to be compared, are generated concurrently from common input data using multiple translation circuitry which allows for concurrent searching in the CAMs.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows the block diagram of the content addressable memory device.
315 - 317 translation circuits

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: CONTENT; ADDRESS; MEMORY; ACCESS; METHOD; ROUTER; TRANSLATION; INPUT; PACKET; HEADER; DATA; PRODUCE; MULTIPLE; MATCH; STORAGE; ARRAY

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ICO: T04L-029:06N, T04L-212:002L2
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DIALOG(R)File 349:PCT FULLTEXT
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01008636 **Image available**
BIT LEVEL PROGRAMMING INTERFACE IN A CONTENT ADDRESSABLE MEMORY
INTERFACE DE PROGRAMMATION DU NIVEAU DE BIT DANS UNE MEMOIRE ASSOCIATIVE
Patent Applicant/Assignee:
NETLOGIC MICROSYSTEMS INC, 450 National Avenue, Mountain View, CA 94043,
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JANKOV Ronald S, 35 Stillcreek Road, Woodside, CA 94062, US,
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Legal Representative:
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12400 Wilshire Boulevard, 7th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90025, US,
Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):
Patent: WO 200338625 A1 20030508 (WO 0338625)
Application: WO 2002US28827 20020910 (PCT/WO US0228827)
Priority Application: US 2001158 20011031; US 200277829 20020215
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prior to 2004)
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Publication Language: English
Filing Language: English
Fulltext Availability:
Detailed Description
Claims
Fulltext Word Count: 18670

English Abstract
An apparatus and method for generating a comparand in a content addressable memory array (410). The apparatus includes a content addressable memory (CAM) array (410) and translation circuitry (415) to receive translation information indicative of translation of a bit group from an initial position in input data to a different position in a comparand transmitted to the CAM array. The translation circuitry includes a switch circuit (430), one or more storage elements (450) to store the translation information, and one or more decode circuitry (440) to decode the translation information and establish switch circuit connections between the initial position and the position in the comparand. The apparatus also includes program circuitry to provide a bit level programming interface with the translation circuitry. The apparatus may also include a programming bit register to store programming information in the form of a binary pattern where each bit represents a bit group of the input data.

French Abstract
L'invention porte sur un appareil et un procede de generation d'un element de comparaison dans un reseau de memoire associatif (410). L'appareil comporte un reseau (410) de memoire associative (CAM) et un ensemble de circuits (415) de transposition permettant la reception d'informations de transposition indiquant la transposition d'un groupe de bits a partir d'une position initiale dans des donnees d'entree vers une position differente dans un element de comparaison transmis vers le reseau (CAM). L'ensemble de circuits de transposition comporte, quant a lui, un circuit de commutation (430), au moins un element de memoire (450) permettant la memorisation d'informations de transposition et au moins un ensemble de circuits de decodage (440) permettant le decodage de l'information de transposition et la connexion du circuit de commutation entre la position initiale et la position dans l'element de comparaison. L'appareil comprend egalement un ensemble de circuits de programme permettant de doter une interface de programmation du niveau de bit d'un ensemble de circuits de transposition. L'appareil peut egalement comprendre un registre de bits de programmation permettant de memoriser l'information de programmation sous forme de motif binaire, chaque bit representant un groupe de bits des donnees d'entree.

Legal Status (Type, Date, Text)
Publication 20030508 A1 With international search report.

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DIALOG(R)File 348:EUROPEAN PATENTS
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BIT LEVEL PROGRAMMING INTERFACE IN A CONTENT ADDRESSABLE MEMORY
INTERFACE DE PROGRAMMATION DU NIVEAU DE BIT DANS UNE MEMOIRE ASSOCIATIVE
PATENT ASSIGNEE:
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  JANKOV, Ronald, S., 35 Stillcreek Road, Woodside, CA 94062,
    (US)
PATENT (CC, No, Kind, Date):
                              WO 2003038625  030508
APPLICATION (CC, No, Date):   EP 2002773326 020910;  WO 2002US28827  020910
PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): US 158 011031; US 77829 020215
DESIGNATED STATES: AT; BE; BG; CH; CY; CZ; DE; DK; EE; ES; FI; FR; GB; GR;
  IE; IT; LI; LU; MC; NL; PT; SE; SK; TR
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INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS (V7): G06F-012/00; G06F-012/14;
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  H04L-012/28
LEGAL STATUS (Type, Pub Date, Kind, Text):
 Application:     030702 A1 International application. (Art. 158(1))
 Application:     030702 A1 International application entering European
                            phase
 Application:     041208 A1 International application. (Art. 158(1))
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 Withdrawal:      041208 A1 Date application deemed withdrawn: 20040602
LANGUAGE (Publication,Procedural,Application): English; English; English
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File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM) 1983-2009/Oct 26
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III. Text Search Results from Dialog

A. Patent Files, Abstract

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             OR COMMISSION? OR COMPENSATION?
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S4      43376   MARKUP? OR MARK()(UP OR UPS) OR PRICE?(3N)INCREASE? OR AMO-
             UNT?(3N)ADDED
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S6         14   S5 AND S1
S7          4   S5 AND S4
S8         17   S1 AND S2 AND S4
S9         35   S6:S8
S10        18   S9 AND IC=G06Q
S11        11   S9 AND IC=G06F
S12        24   S10 OR S11
S13   3541284   COST? OR PRICE? OR PRICING OR RATE? OR FEE OR FEES OR CHAR-
             GE?
S14      1197   S1 AND S2 AND S13
S15    147253   DESIGNER? OR CREATOR? OR LICENSOR? OR LICENCOR? OR INVENTO-
             R? OR DEVELOPER?
S16     91331   MANUFACTUR?R? OR FABRICATOR? OR PRODUCER? OR ASSEMBLER? OR
             BUILDER? OR SUPPLIER? OR LICENSEE?
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             M? OR OBJECT? OR MERCHANDISE? OR GOODS OR COMMODITY OR COMMOD-
             ITIES OR WARES OR CHIP OR CHIPS OR UNIT OR UNITS)
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S21        10   S19 AND S17
S22    170882   PATENT? OR IP OR INTELLECTUAL()PROPERTY OR TRADE()SECRET?
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0017385553 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2008-C05994/200815
Related WPI Acc No: 2002-656228; 2006-527067; 2007-761916
XRPX Acc No: N2008-164852
Customer servicing method for e.g. real estate building industry, involves incorporating option and content of related forms into offer to enter into estate contract, and collecting fee based upon products selected by customer
Patent Assignee: FOGELSON B A (FOGE-I)
Inventor: FOGELSON B A
Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update
US 20080040303	A1	20080214	US 2000483579	A	20000114	200815 B
			US 2001768476	A	20010124	
			US 2007810933	A	20070607	

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 2000483579 A 20000114; US 2001768476 A 20010124; US 2007810933 A 20070607

Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing Notes
US 20080040303	A1	EN	46	37	C-I-P of application US 2000483579
					C-I-P of application US 2001768476
					C-I-P of patent US 7076455
					C-I-P of patent US 7254553

Alerting Abstract US A1

NOVELTY - The method involves providing related forms related to product options of product offerings to be filled out via a web site (16). A selection of one of the options provided by a builder, potential builder or product offerer is received via the web site. The option and content of the related forms are incorporated into an offer to enter into a real estate contract. The builder enters into the contract to build or rehabilitate real estate for a customer at a building site of the real estate of the customer, in response to the offer. Fee is collected based upon products selected by the customer.

DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for an apparatus for servicing a set of customers or potential customers among a set of builders by a third-party website provider.

USE - Method for servicing a set of customers or potential customers of a builder and/or potential builder among a set of builders or other product offerers, actual or prospective buyers or renters of real estate, actual or prospective sellers or lessors of residential or commercial real estate and/or a group of contractors or sub-contractors for construction services on real estate and/ or a group, consortium or conglomeration of product manufacturers,

sellers or distributors of a set of products and/or services by
a third-party website provider to build or rehabilitate real estate for the
customers or potential customers at respective building sites of the
customers or potential customers in real estate building and construction
industries (claimed). Can also be used for servicing an architect, a
realtor, property manager, designer, renovator, home buyer and
seller.
  ADVANTAGE - The method facilitates providing of presentation and
documentation process of products, services and processes of a construction
industry.
  DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The drawing shows a block diagram of a system
for servicing a customer of a builder.
  11 Databases
  12 Central processing units
  14, 16, 18 Web sites
  22, 24 Customers
  26 Builder
  27, 28 Suppliers
  30, 31 Manufacturers
  32, 34, 35, 36 Web pages
  42 File
  44 Builder`s file

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: CUSTOMER; SERVICE; METHOD; REAL;
  ESTATE; BUILD; INDUSTRIAL; INCORPORATE; OPTION; CONTENT; RELATED; FORM;
  OFFER; ENTER; CONTRACT; COLLECT; FEE; BASED; PRODUCT; SELECT

Class Codes
International Classification (+ Attributes)
IPC + Level Value Position Status Version
  G06Q-0030/00 A I F B 20060101
  G06Q-0030/00 C I F B 20060101
ECLA: G06Q-030/00A
US Classification, Current Main: 706-026000
US Classification, Issued: 70626.0
File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-J05B4P; T01-N01A2A; T01-N01A2C

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0017046858 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2007-761916/200771
Related WPI Acc No: 2002-656228; 2006-527067; 2008-C05994
XRPX Acc No: N2007-601885
Building contractor`s customer servicing method for use in building
construction industry, involves providing website by website provider,
where website is provided for selection of product and installation
service offerings
Patent Assignee: FOGELSON B A (FOGE-I)
Inventor: FOGELSON B A
Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)
Patent   Application
Number   Kind   Date   Number   Kind   Date   Update
US 20070239567   A1 20071011 US 2000483579   A 20000114 200771 B

US 2001768476 A 20010124
US 2007758274 A 20070605

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 2000483579 A 20000114; US 2001768476 A 20010124; US 2007758274 A 20070605

Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing Notes
US 20070239567	A1	EN	58	37	C-I-P of application US 2000483579 Division of application US 2001768476 C-I-P of patent US 7076455 Division of patent US 7254553

Alerting Abstract US A1

NOVELTY - The method involves rehabilitating a real estate for a customer at a building site entering into a contract. A website (14) is provided by a third-party website provider, where the website is provided for selection of product, service or installation service offerings available from or through a building contractor. Another website (16) associated with the website (14) is provided by the provider for entry of information related to customer by the contractor. The selection of an option is received from the customer through former website. A fee or commission is collected from the contractor.

DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for an apparatus for servicing a customer of a building contractor.

USE - Used for servicing a customer of a building contractor through a third-party website provider (claimed) in building construction industry, and in building construction and renovation, by an architect, designer and renovator.

ADVANTAGE - The method enables the presentation and documentation process of products, services and processes of the construction industry to be performed in an effective manner.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The drawing shows a system for servicing a customer of a builder.

11 Database
14, 16, 38 Websites
34 Webpages
42 Customer file
44 Builder`s file

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: BUILD; CONTRACT; CUSTOMER; SERVICE; METHOD; CONSTRUCTION; INDUSTRIAL; SELECT; PRODUCT; INSTALLATION

Class Codes
International Classification (+ Attributes)

IPC + Level Value	Position	Status	Version
G06F-0017/00 A	I F	B	20060101
G06Q-0030/00 A	I	R	20060101
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ECLA: G06Q-030/00A
US Classification, Current Main: 705-027000
US Classification, Issued: 70527
File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
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0015409940 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2005-755863/200577
XRPX Acc No: N2005-623581
Royalty owner rights quantifying method in internet commerce involves calculating use metric corresponding to royalty owner interest, in aggregate multi-royalty owned digital content
Patent Assignee: LEVINE D (LEVI-I)
Inventor: LEVINE D
Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update
US 6961714	B1	20051101	US 2000625017	A	20000725	200577 B

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): IL 134514 A 20000213

Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing Notes
US 6961714	B1	EN	14	3	

Alerting Abstract US B1
NOVELTY - A report of registered user's prior use of materials such as on-line music, is received from the user as a sample. An updated metric of use is statistically convoluted into respective materials records in the database, from the report. A quantification of the royalty owner rights for the respective materials is computed from the database and the user's collective subscription fees is divided based on the updated metric.
DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for royalty owner rights quantifying program storage device.
USE - For calculating royalty owner rights in e.g. internet downloaded music or software.
ADVANTAGE - Enables to provide the user true unlimited use and freedom while maintaining the royalty owner rights. Facilitates a more active consumer market for large content downloading. Allows a point of sales model to be used with a statistical reporting mechanism. Provides transparency to users without complexity.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows a schematic view of royalty owner rights quantifying system.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: OWNER; QUANTIFICATION; METHOD; CALCULATE; METRIC; CORRESPOND; INTEREST; AGGREGATE; MULTI; DIGITAL; CONTENT
Class Codes
International Classification (Main): G06F-017/60
ECLA: G06Q-030/00C
US Classification, Current Main: 705-051000; Secondary: 705-052000, 705-053000, 705-057000
US Classification, Issued: 70551, 70552, 70553, 70557
File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-N01A2A; T01-N01A2G

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0014560706 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2004-742664/200473
XRPX Acc No: N2004-587974
Sales transaction system e.g. for unquoted shares, performs supplementation processing of difference of market and estimated prices, for determining how to sell/buy asset based on whether estimated price is larger or smaller
Patent Assignee: DAIWA SHOKEN GROUP HONSHA KK (DAIW-N)
Inventor: KURIHARA K
Patent Family (2 patents, 1 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update
JP 2004302777	A	20041028	JP 200393957	A	20030331	200473 B
JP 4260518	B2	20090430	JP 200393957	A	20030331	200930 E

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): JP 200393957 A 20030331

Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing Notes
JP 2004302777	A	JA	32	5	
JP 4260518	B2	JA	45		Previously issued patent JP 2004302777

Alerting Abstract JP A
NOVELTY - A calculator (44) calculates the market current price of an asset during settlement time, and the estimated price during transaction time. A processor (49) performs supplementation processing of the difference of market and estimated prices, for determining how to sell or buy the asset based on whether estimated price is larger or smaller than market price.
DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

1.sales transaction method; and
2.sales transaction program.

USE - For processing sales transaction of assets such as patent rights and unquoted shares which do not have market value at the time of sales transaction.
ADVANTAGE - The price of the asset which do not have market value at the time of sales transaction, is calculated correctly.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows a block diagram of the sales transaction system. (Drawing includes non-English language text).
20 customer terminal
40 server
44 calculator
49 processor
72 database

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: SALE; TRANSACTION; SYSTEM; SHARE; PERFORMANCE; PROCESS; DIFFER; MARKET; ESTIMATE; PRICE; DETERMINE; SELL; BUY; BASED; LARGER; SMALLER

Class Codes
International Classification (+ Attributes)
IPC + Level Value Position Status Version

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  G06Q-0040/00  A  I  F  B  20060101
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JP Classification
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G06F-017/60    234 G       B  secondary
G06F-017/60    302 Z       B  secondary
G06F-017/60    314         B  secondary
G06F-017/60    332         B  secondary
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G06F-017/60    234 C
G06F-017/60    234 E
G06F-017/60    234 G
G06F-017/60    302 Z
G06F-017/60    314
G06F-017/60    332

F-Term  View Point  Additional
 Theme   + Figure   Code
 5B049
 5B055

File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-J05A2; T01-J05A2E; T01-N01A; T01-N01A2



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0013998069  - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2004-179256/200417
XRPX Acc No: N2004-142551
Licensing method, involves implementing two royalty fee
structures for licensee devices with one including
processor/controller technology, and another with both processor/controller
and radio/digitizer technologies
Patent Assignee: SORRELLS D F  (SORR-I); PARKERVISION INC  (PARK-N)
Inventor: SORRELLS D F
Patent Family (2 patents,  1 countries)
Patent                          Application
Number          Kind   Date     Number          Kind   Date    Update
US 20040015420   A1  20040122  US 2002197253    A  20020718  200417  B
US 7379883       B2  20080527  US 2002197253    A  20020718  200835  E

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): US 2002197253  A  20020718

Patent Details
Number         Kind  Lan   Pg  Dwg  Filing Notes
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US 20040015420 A1 EN 31 18
Alerting Abstract US A1
NOVELTY - The method involves offering two licenses respectively, to a license for a direct conversion radio/digitizer and baseband processor/medium access controller (BBP/MAC) technologies. Two royalty fee structures are implemented for licensee devices with one including a BBP/MAC that falls within a scope of the license, and another including both the technologies that falls within a scope of the licenses.
USE - Used for licensing a direct conversion radio/digitizer technology and a baseband processor/medium access controller technology.
ADVANTAGE - The method transfers technologies between entities in order to increase integration and implement digital interfaces.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The drawing shows a licensing methodology.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: METHOD; IMPLEMENT; TWO; FEE ; STRUCTURE; DEVICE; ONE; PROCESSOR; CONTROL; TECHNOLOGY; RADIO; DIGITAL

Class Codes
International Classification (+ Attributes)
IPC + Level Value Position Status Version
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G06Q-0099/00 A I F B 20060101
G06Q-0010/00 C I R 20060101
G06Q-0099/00 C I F B 20060101
ECLA: G06Q-010/00F
US Classification, Current Main: 705-001000, 705-030000; Secondary: 705-030000, 705-059000
US Classification, Issued: 70530, 7051, 70530, 70559
File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
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0012788564 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2002-644062/200269
XRPX Acc No: N2002-509135
Item exchange method for the transfer and exchange of electronic items, authorizes one or more buyers of an item to become providers of that item to further buyers
Patent Assignee: BLAU A (BLAU-I)
Inventor: BLAU A
Patent Family (4 patents, 98 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update	
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US 20040059644	A1	20040325	US 2001277064	P	20010320	200422	E
			WO 2002IL216	A	20020319		
			US 2003664853	A	20030922		
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C-I-P of application WO 2002IL216
Continuation of application US 2003664853

Alerting Abstract WO A2

NOVELTY - An electronic item is offered for sale (103) and sold to a buyer (103) who is then authorized to become a second provider of the item. The capability of all authorized providers to sell the item to further buyers is a function of an upload capability of the provider to upload the item to a potential buyer and of a download capability of the buyer top download the item from the potential provider. Payment is paid to the owner (108) as and when transactions are completed.

DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a method for searching.

USE - For the transfer and exchange of electronic items, such as electronic content, certificates, licenses, money, options, contracts, computing power, communication line bandwidth and/or hard disc space.

ADVANTAGE - By authorizing buyers to become providers of an item, the method provides incentives and motivation to give or sell items. By giving priority to high bandwidth peers on the network, the method enables items to be distributed faster, whilst the load on the network is more homogeneous and bandwidth bottlenecks may be reduced or prevented, possibly eliminating the need for expensive servers and trained personnel managing the servers.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure is a simplified flow chart of a method for electronic content exchange.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: ITEM; EXCHANGE; METHOD; TRANSFER; ELECTRONIC; AUTHORISE; ONE; MORE; BUY

Class Codes
International Classification (Main): G06F-017/60
International Classification (+ Attributes)
IPC + Level Value Position Status Version
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G06Q-0040/00 A I L B 20060101

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ECLA: G06Q-030/00C4
US Classification, Current Main: 705-026000, 705-037000; Secondary: 705-039000
US Classification, Issued: 70526, 70537.0, 70539.0
File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-N01A2A; T01-N02B1B

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX
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0011109969 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2002-046016/200206
Goods purchasing order collection using internet, involves establishing transaction between customer and selected manufacturer based on purchasing order of goods, and obtaining fixed commission by successful transaction
Patent Assignee: MISAWA HOMES CO LTD (MSWA)
Inventor: SANO Y
Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update
JP 2001297224	A	20011026	JP 2000113835	A	20000414	200206 B

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): JP 2000113835 A 20000414

Patent Details

Number	Kind	Lan	Pg	Dwg	Filing Notes
JP 2001297224	A	JA	8	7	

Alerting Abstract JP A
NOVELTY - The purchasing order of industrial goods and general goods are collected from customer and the information about goods manufacturers are informed to the customer, according to the purchasing condition information such as cheapest price information. The manufacturer is also informed about the customer, and the transaction between the manufacturer and the customer is established. Fixed commission is obtained by successful transaction.
DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

1.Goods purchasing order collection system;
2.Recorded medium storing goods purchasing order collection program

USE - For collecting goods purchasing order. For incorporeal assets, lands, building in real estate business and movable property such as vehicle and other miscellaneous goods such as security, licence.
ADVANTAGE - The transaction between buyer and seller is established such that both the buyer and seller gains the profit, thereby improving production planning and inventory control confirmation.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows the block diagram of goods purchasing collection system. (Drawing includes non-English language text).

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: GOODS; PURCHASE; ORDER; COLLECT;
ESTABLISH; TRANSACTION; CUSTOMER; SELECT; MANUFACTURE; BASED; OBTAIN; FIX
; COMMISSION; SUCCESS

Class Codes
International Classification (+ Attributes)
IPC + Level Value Position Status Version
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JP Classification
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Theme + Figure Code
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File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-J05A2

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX
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0010919770 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2001-541451/200160
XRPX Acc No: N2001-402440
Flexible license payment system for electronic commerce systems, such as computer readable media containing executable computer program
Patent Assignee: CHATANI M (CHAT-I); CHEN A A (CHEN-I); HIRANO H (HIRA-I); KUTARAGI K (KUTA-I); KUWAHARA T (KUWA-I); MACLEAN C B (MACL-I); PALMER P D (PALM-I); SAITO A (SAIT-I); SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT AMERICA (SONY); SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT INC (SONY); SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT KK (SONY); TAMURA K (TAMU-I); WAKIMOTO T (WAKI-I)

Inventor: CHATANI M; CHEN A A; CHEN A A Y; HIRANO H; HIRANO S; KUTARAGI K; KUTARAGI T; KUWABARA T; KUWAHARA T; MACLEAN C B; PALMER P D; SAITO A; TAMURA K; WAKIMOTO T

Patent Family (9 patents, 38 countries)

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JP 2001290932	A	20011019	JP 2000173754	A	20000609	200201	E
EP 1203336	A1	20020508	EP 2001942751	A	20010116	200238	E
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US 20030023563	A1	20030130	WO 2001US1427	A	20010116	200311	E
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Priority Applications (no., kind, date): JP 20008253 A 20000117; JP 200022553 A 20000131; JP 2000173754 A 20000609; US 2000625692 A 20000726

Patent Details

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JP 2003521046	W	JA	83		PCT Application WO 2001US1427
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TW 591457	A	ZH			

Alerting Abstract WO A1

NOVELTY - An order accepting device accepts an order for the article from a purchaser and a value added consideration is determined due to a value added provider of the article, based on information related to the accepted order. The value added provider comprises a license of the article. A set of members pays the license of the article in accordance with a predetermined value based on the information related to the accepted order. Upon order of a predetermined number of articles by a purchaser, a license royalty is paid to the value added provider.

DESCRIPTION - AN INDEPENDENT CLAIM is made for:

1.A server computer coupled to a network;

2.A sales management system for articles each having a selling price determined in accordance with atleast a manufacturing cost and added value;

3.A method for selling, by an agent, articles each having a selling price determined in accordance with at least a manufacturing cost and added value.

USE - In electronic commerce, particularly sales management system incorporating an inventory process and flexible royalty payment method for distributed software products.

ADVANTAGE - Provides stock-burden reducing sales -management system for articles such as computer-readable media upon which an executable program is written.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - Drawing is a functional block diagram of a sales management system according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: FLEXIBLE; LICENCE; PAY; SYSTEM; ELECTRONIC; COMPUTER; READ; MEDIUM; CONTAIN; EXECUTE; PROGRAM

Class Codes
International Classification (Main): G06F-017/60
International Classification (+ Attributes)
IPC + Level Value Position Status Version

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B65G-0061/00	A	I	F	R	20060101
G06F-0021/00	A	I	F	B	20060101
G06F-0021/00	A	I		R	20060101
G06Q-0010/00	A	I	L	R	20060101
G06Q-0030/00	A	I	L	R	20060101
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G06Q-0050/00	A	I	L	R	20060101
G07G-0001/14	A	I	F	R	20060101
B65G-0001/137	C	I	L	R	20060101
B65G-0061/00	C	I	F	R	20060101
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US Classification, Current Main: 705-052000
US Classification, Issued: 70552

JP Classification

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0010813472 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 2001-430235/200146
Electronic commerce according to time
Patent Assignee: JEON Y H (JEON-I)
Inventor: JEON Y H
Patent Family (1 patents, 1 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update	
KR 2001000524	A	20010105	KR 200058347	A	20001004	200146	B

Priority Applications (no., kind, date): KR 200058347 A 20001004

Patent Details

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KR 2001000524	A	KO	1	10	

Alerting Abstract KR A

NOVELTY - An electronic commerce according to a time is provided to generate cooperative profit for a purchaser and a provider, to offer depreciated values of a product according to a month, a day, and an hour by the product characteristics, to enable the purchaser to purchase the desired product at a lower price, and to supplement the provider with increased profit by selling its inventory at a low price.

DESCRIPTION - An electronic commerce according to a time is composed of registration, purchase, confirmation, and delivery. A purchaser(10) registers as a member, searches for the depreciated price of a product, places the order, and pays for the product through the online deposit, GIRO deposit card or cyber money. A web site(20) manages members, uploads a list of products on the web site by securing diverse products from the suppliers, displays the products to induce purchases, to understand the purchase and deposit status, receive the after service requests, and generate profits through advertisement and commissions received from the suppliers. A supplier(30) sells various products through the web site, eliminates wasted inventories, makes advertisement and commission fee payments, and directly and

indirectly delivers the products to the purchasers. A credit card agency(40) or a bank(50) confirms the purchaser's credit rating and a distribution company(60) makes prompt delivery of the ordered product to the purchaser.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: ELECTRONIC; ACCORD; TIME

Class Codes
International Classification (Main): G06F-017/60

File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
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0008732543 - Drawing available
WPI ACC NO: 1998-274402/199825
Related WPI Acc No: 2002-582122
XRPX Acc No: N1998-215565
Multi-level marketing computer network - calculates individual commission for each level from stored commission structure and associates first level commission with seller identified by customer
Patent Assignee: ANDERSON V M D (ANDE-I); SHELL A M (SHEL-I)
Inventor: ANDERSON V M D; SHELL A M
Patent Family (5 patents, 25 countries)

Patent Number	Kind	Date	Application Number	Kind	Date	Update	
EP 844577	A2	19980527	EP 1997119108	A	19971103	199825	B
US 6134533	A	20001017	US 1996753377	A	19961125	200054	E
US 20010011236	A1	20010802	US 1996753377	A	19961125	200147	E
			US 2000636654	A	20000809		
			US 2001816726	A	20010322		
US 6408281	B1	20020618	US 1996753377	A	19961125	200244	E
			US 2000636654	A	20000809		
US 6691093	B2	20040210	US 1996753377	A	19961125	200413	E
			US 2000636654	A	20000809		
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US 6408281	B1	EN			C-I-P of application US 1996753377
					C-I-P of patent US 6134533

US 6691093 B2 EN Continuation of application US 1996753377

Division of application US 2000636654

Continuation of patent US 6134533
Division of patent US 6408281

Alerting Abstract EP A2
The system includes a device for accepting via the network, the identification of the product and the identification of the seller. A sales transaction is made and multi-level commissions and other fees are calculated and dispersed. The general purpose commercial server system includes one or more general purpose computers which collectively provide the identification device. A credit card information is obtained, validated and payment is captured. The calculated commissions for each seller is summed and stored. An individual commission is calculated for each level from the stored commission structure. The first level commission is associated with the seller identified by the customer. The next level seller is repetitively determined from the record of the current seller. The next level commission is associated with the next level seller.

Title Terms/Index Terms/Additional Words: MULTI; LEVEL; MARKET; COMPUTER; NETWORK; CALCULATE; INDIVIDUAL; COMMISSION; STORAGE; STRUCTURE; ASSOCIATE; FIRST; IDENTIFY; CUSTOMER

Class Codes
International Classification (+ Attributes)
IPC + Level Value Position Status Version
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ECLA: G06Q-030/00C
US Classification, Current Main: 705-026000; Secondary: 340-005910, 705-014000, 705-017000, 705-035000, 705-039000, 705-075000, 707-002000, 709-203000, 709-212000, 709-219000
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File Segment: EPI;
DWPI Class: T01
Manual Codes (EPI/S-X): T01-H07C5S; T01-J05A1; T01-M02A

B. Patent Files, Full-Text

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    FACILITANT LES PLACEMENTS
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Fulltext Availability:
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PROGRAMMATION ET PLANIFICATION ANTICIPEE, ET GESTION PROACTIVE AU COURS DE LA MAINTENANCE ET DE L'ENTRETIEN D'UN ENVIRONNEMENT DU TYPE CHAINE D'APPROVISIONNEMENT RESEAUTEE
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... centers on the automated discovery of new facts and underlYMg relationships in the data. The,term "data mining" comes from the idea that the raw material is the business data, and the data mining algorithin is the excavator, shifling through the. vast quantities of raw data looking for the valuable miggets...to supplement a disadvantage by a gap from ordinary shopping caused by the use of electronic means such as not capable of directly touching the item and not capable of getting assistance of a real salesman, various devices for a user

interface have been made. As one of such devices, a...solution utilizIng the Intemet for a communication backbone, employ some form. of cryptography.

As discussed above, the current state-of-the-art in Intemet based payment processing is a protocol referred to as SET. Since the SET messages are uniforin across all implementations, banks cannot differentiate theiriselves in any reasonable way...

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NETWORK AND LIFE CYCLE ASSET MANAGEMENT IN AN E-COMMERCE ENVIRONMENT AND METHOD THEREOF
GESTION D'ACTIFS DURANT LE CYCLE DE VIE ET EN RESEAU DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT DE COMMERCE ELECTRONIQUE ET PROCEDE ASSOCIE
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... Connoly, "RFC 1866: Hypertext Markup Language - 2.0" (Nov. 1995); and R. Fielding, H, Frystyk, T. Berners-Lee, J. Gettys and J.C. Mogul, "Hypertext Transfer Protocol -- HTTP/l. 1: HTTP Working Group Internet Draft" to (May 2, 1996). HTML is a simple data format used to create hypertext documents that...also connected to each DAP 1212-1216 to retrieve information regarding a switch 1206-1210 or call record. However, billing in the present invention is increased because the

hybrid network also contains proxy intelligence.

Figure 13 shows a block diagram of the Network Data Management 1300 in accordance with a preferred...the same port number with the same Timepoint 1 (second) value. The first telephone call will have a sequence number set to 'O.' This value increases incrementally for each successive call which originates on the same port number with the same Timepoint 1 value.

lt would be readily apparent to one...component 5312.

The present invention provides a new kind of web architecture framework (called "WAF" in this document) that secures, administers, and audits electronic information use. WAY also features fundamentally important capabilities for managing content that travels "across" the "information highway." These capabilities comprise a rights protection solution that serves all...products such as computer software programs, movies, electronic publications or reference materials, etc.) and certain control information related to the use of the 1 5 object's content. A creating party may make a WAF container available to other parties. Control information delivered by, and/or otherwise available for use with ...value chain end-user may be involved in a three party agreement in which the end-user agrees to certain requirements for using the distributed product such as accepting distributor charges for content use and agreeing to observe the copyright rights of the creator. A third agreement might exist between the...

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METHOD FOR AFFORDING A MARKET SPACE INTERFACE BETWEEN A PLURALITY OF MANUFACTURERS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS AND INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT VIA A MARKET SPACE INTERFACE
PROCEDE DE MISE A DISPOSITION D'UNE INTERFACE D'ESPACE DE MARCHE ENTRE UNE PLURALITE DE FABRICANTS ET DES FOURNISSEURS DE SERVICES ET GESTION D'UNE INSTALLATION VIA UNE INTERFACE D'ESPACE DE MARCHE
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... into the applications along with the application logic or presentation.

Another company, Open Market, is developing a similar electronic catalog system consisting of a HyperText Markup Language (HTML) authoring tool
(called Storebuilder), and a server (called WebServer) connected to an integrated back-end commerce system (called TransactionLink), This system appears to...coin box, and a communication device for communicating with a remote service center. The mass storage unit stores transitory information, such as flight schedules, ticket prices, weather information and other information useful in the planning of a business trip or
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vacation which is periodically updated via a communication link with... e.g., in food and grocery, personal care, hardware and appliances, means that a retailer may have thousands of models or varieties of goods in inventory, each, of course, with a concomitant price. The result of this multitude of consumer products is that the control and consistency of pricing has assumed...

...is highly competitive and price management is essential for a merchant to keep pace with competitors.

One area that has produced such a multitude of products and that has become a highly competitive selling environment is consumer appliances and electronics.

Each type of product, e.g., a television set, is typically available from several different manufacturers, and each manufacturer typically produces several
models of the same type product. The prices of products vary from manufacturer to manufacturer as well as within the same manufacturer's range of models, depending upon the particular specifications and features of each model within the product type. Moreover, each manufacturer sells its products through a large number of distributors and, ultimately, to retail stores, with the result that the pricing of the same product can differ from distributor to distributor, from retailer to retailer and from geographic market to geographic market. Even within a single merchant's inventory, price variations on an individual product occur,, e.g., an advertised special versus the "regular" price.

To keep pace with competitors, a merchant may obtain ...complexity.

Further, if a competitor's pricing becomes known at the point of sale, the salesperson must determine if he or she is willing to sell the product for a lower or the same price, (i.e., in accordance with the merchant's pricing policy).
Various pricing systems are known, although virtually none...

..utilizing the user input.

Figure 65 illustrates a procedure for performing operation 6408. In operation 6500, the tenris of the license agreement are set forth. Licensor identification information is included in operation 6501. Licensee (user) identification infon-nation is set forth in operation 6502. Optionally,
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verification of identification may be performed in operation 6503, such as prompting a...administrator. The agreement is typically either a conventionally signed contract or a "shrink wrap" agreement attached to the packaging for the software, to which the licensee acknowledges agreement by opening the package.

Although traditional licensing and shrink wrap licensing are more or less applicable to licensing for individual systems, they are...the investment in computer software has also grown, and there have been developed various methods for charging the computer user for use of computer software products. Typically computer software products are licensed, rather than sold, to the computer user under various arrangements. The simplest common license arrangement gives the user the right to use a software product on a single...

...can be copied and moved easily from one like machine to another, companies have invented methods to prevent unauthorized use of their software products. Some licensors require passwords to activate software on a particular machine. The password may be keyed to the hardware's identification number as a condition for operation...
...software. Such systems can effectively lock software to a particular machine, but do not address software that is licensed for concurrent or simultaneous use. Some licensors use hardware locks that attach to a parallel printer port or a serial port on a machine; each time the software is activated,, it looks...

...of software license might not cover the usage of the software product on the network, or worse still (from the point of view of the licensor) might actually permit such a usage without additional compensation to the licensor. One approach to network licensing is to grant permission to use the program based on all of the nodes on the network, and to require...

...of nodes either on the network or running the software product at a given time. These approaches, however, have usually required the cooperation of
the licensee, because additional nodes may be added to the network, or
additional users may utilize the software, without the knowledge of the licensor, who is typically not present on the premises of the licensee. The licensor may reserve the right to audit the licensee's site, but such an audit is intrusive, expensive, and may alienate potential or actual customers for licenses. Although other

approaches exist under which one...

...also typically do not take into account the possible wide variation over time in the number of nodes or users and also require reliance on licensee cooperation.

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Recently it has become practical in some network environments to determine and limit the number of nodes that may access a software product...

... Examples of software-based concurrent licensing arrangements may be found in Unix applications running in connection with software products sold under the trademarks NetLS (available from Gradient Technologies, Inc,, 577 Main Street, Suite 4, Hudson, Mass. 01749), and SunLic (available from Sun Microsystems, Inc., Mountain...

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METHOD FOR OBTAINING AND ALLOCATING INVESTMENT INCOME BASED ON THE CAPITALIZATION OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
PROCEDE SERVANT A OBTENIR ET A AFFECTER LE REVENU D'UN INVESTISSEMENT BASE SUR LA CAPITALISATION DE LA PROPRIETE INTELLECTUELLE
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... therefore very desirable, and are increasingly used.

  NEGOTIATION COMPLEXITY IN MULTIPLE CASH FLOW ARRANGEMENTS.

  NON-ZERO-SUM- GAMES
  However, creating multiple payment provisions in an agreement also
  greatly increases the level of negotiation complexity in forming the
  alliance. What, for instance is the tradeoff between 'Y' percent
  royalty and a "y" percent equity stake? How for instance, might the
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  transfer-price markup, agreed upon between the partners, be
  weighed against the royalty percentage payable to one of them.
  Alliance negotiations are often mixed motive games in which the partners
  simultaneously have convergent and divergent. A revenue stream such as
  royalties or transfer-price markups, earned by one of
  the principals acting as licensor or component supplier, is
  also going to be a cost to the other , or to the joint venture
  company in which both parties have a stake.

  The transfer of knowledge and corporate capability, from one...

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PRIVATE CONSTANT-DOLLAR FINANCIAL PRODUCT SYSTEM
SYSTEME A PLUSIEURS ORDINATEURS PRENANT EN CHARGE UN PRODUIT FINANCIER PRIVE EN DOLLARS CONSTANTS

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MULTIPLE COMPUTER SYSTEM SUPPORTING A PRIVATE CONSTANT-DOLLAR FINANCIAL PRODUCT
SYSTEME A ORDINATEURS MULTIPLES PRENANT EN CHARGE UN PRODUIT FINANCIER PRIVE EXPRIME EN DOLLARS CONSTANTS

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ENHANCED PARIMUTUEL WAGERING
PARI DU TYPE PARI MUTUEL AMELIORE

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CREATING, MANAGING AND PROCURING REAL ESTATE AGREEMENTS
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE DE CREATION, DE GESTION ET D'OBTENTION D'ACCORDS IMMOBILIERS

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EXTENDED WEB ENABLED MULTI-FEATURED BUSINESS TO BUSINESS COMPUTER SYSTEM FOR RENTAL VEHICLE SERVICES
SYSTEME INFORMATIQUE ETENDU ENTRE ENTREPRISES, A FONCTIONS MULTIPLES, FONCTIONNANT SUR LE WEB, POUR DES SERVICES DE LOCATION DE VEHICULES

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A METHOD OF OPTIMIZING ALLIANCE AGREEMENTS
PROCEDE POUR OPTIMISER LES ACCORDS D'ALLIANCE

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METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR MITIGATING RISK ASSOCIATED WITH SETTLING OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE AND OTHER PAYMENTS-BASED TRANSACTIONS
PROCEDE ET SYSTEME DE LIMITATION DU RISQUE ASSOCIE AU CHANGE ET A D'AUTRES OPERATIONS A BASE DE PAIEMENTS

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TECHNOLOGY SHARING DURING ASSET MANAGEMENT AND ASSET TRACKING IN A NETWORK-BASED SUPPLY CHAIN ENVIRONMENT AND METHOD THEREOF
PARTAGE TECHNOLOGIQUE LORS DE LA GESTION ET DU SUIVI DU PARC INFORMATIQUE DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT DU TYPE CHAINE D'APPROVISIONNEMENT RESEAUTEE, ET PROCEDE ASSOCIE

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GESTION D'ACTIFS DURANT LE CYCLE DE VIE ET EN RESEAU DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT DE COMMERCE ELECTRONIQUE ET PROCEDE ASSOCIE

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METHOD FOR AFFORDING A MARKET SPACE INTERFACE BETWEEN A PLURALITY OF MANUFACTURERS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS AND INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT VIA A MARKET SPACE INTERFACE
PROCEDE DE MISE A DISPOSITION D'UNE INTERFACE D'ESPACE DE MARCHE ENTRE UNE PLURALITE DE FABRICANTS ET DES FOURNISSEURS DE SERVICES ET GESTION D'UNE INSTALLATION VIA UNE INTERFACE D'ESPACE DE MARCHE

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PROCEDE ET SYSTEME PERMETTANT DE COMMUNIQUER UNE IMAGE DE MARQUE ENTRE DES VENDEURS ET DES CONSOMMATEURS

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR IMPLEMENTING AND BILLING WAP AND INTERNET SERVICES
PROCEDE ET SYSTEME DE MISE EN OEUVRE ET DE FACTURATION DE SERVICES WAP ET INTERNET

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR NETWORK-BASED AUTOMATED INSURANCE TRANSACTION PROCESSING
PROCEDE ET APPAREIL DE TRAITEMENT AUTOMATISE DE TRANSACTIONS D'ASSURANCE A PARTIR D'UN RESEAU

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AN ELECTRONIC-RECEIPTS SERVICE
SERVICE ELECTRONIQUE DE RECUS

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR REAL-TIME CONTRACTS, ADMINISTRATION, AND FINANCIAL CONTROL TO PROCESS ELECTRONIC CREDIT APPLICATIONS AND INSURANCE SERVICES VIA A GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK
PROCEDE ET SYSTEME DE CONTRATS EN TEMPS REEL, D'ADMINISTRATION ET DE CONTROLE FINANCIER PERMETTANT UN TRAITEMENT ELECTORNIQUE DES DEMANDES DE CREDIT ET SERVICES D'ASSURANCE VIA UN RESEAU DE COMMUNICATIONS GLOBAL

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SYSTEMS, METHODS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR ELECTRONIC TRADING OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS
SYSTEMES, METHODES ET PROGRAMMES INFORMATIQUES DESTINES A LA NEGOCIATION ELECTRONIQUE D'INSTRUMENTS FINANCIERS

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               FEES OR CHARGE? OR EXPENSE?)
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              UNT?(3N)ADDED
S5        866   S2 AND S3
S6        100   S5 AND (S1 OR S4)
S7          2   S5 AND S1 AND S4
S8    4277992   COST? OR PRICE? OR PRICING OR RATE? OR FEE OR FEES OR CHAR-
              GE?
S9        115   S2 AND S8 AND S1 AND S4
S10    320597   DESIGNER? OR CREATOR? OR LICENSOR? OR LICENCOR? OR INVENTO-
              R? OR DEVELOPER?
S11    543038   MANUFACTUR?R? OR FABRICATOR? OR PRODUCER? OR ASSEMBLER? OR
              BUILDER? OR SUPPLIER? OR LICENSEE?
S12    143950   (SELL? OR SOLD OR OFFER?)(10N)(PRODUCT? OR ARTICLE? OR ITE-
              M? OR OBJECT? OR MERCHANDISE? OR GOODS OR COMMODITY OR COMMOD-
              ITIES OR WARES OR CHIP OR CHIPS OR UNIT OR UNITS)
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REVIEW OF: Innovation and firm performance: Econometric exploration of survey data
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18/5/4 (Item 3 from file: 583)
DIALOG(R)File 583:Gale Group Globalbase(TM)
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09694549
Sottocosto, intesa sugli sconti
Italy: Agreement on prices below cost level
Il Sole 24 Ore (ISO) 06 Feb 2002
Language: ITALIAN

Indicod, the Institute which manages bar coding comprising more than 25,000 corporate members, has brokered an agreement between industrial companies and retail chains on the definition of contractual criteria governing the price of products which end up on supermarket and shop shelves. On 7 February, the agreement will be broached at a summit with Anci and the Italian Government. The aim is to issue Local Authorities with clear and transparent guidelines, so they can effectively apply the law and verify with the pertinent documents that products in retail establishments are not sold below contracted rates. The final document has been agreed by two commissions, one for the retail and

the other for the industry, formed by Carrefour, Rinascente-Auchan, Esselunga, Despar and Coop Italia, and Lavazza, Barilla, Heineken, Cameo, Uliveto, Martini & Rossi, Lever, Henkel, Paramount, Trinity, Ramazzotti, SSL Healthcare, Sagit, and Perfetti.
COMPANY: INDICOD; ANCI; CARREFOUR; RINASCENTE-AUCHAN; ESSELUNGA; DESPAR; COOP ITALIA; LAVAZZA; BARILLA; HEINEKEN; CAMEO; ULIVETO; MARTINI & ROSSI; LEVER; HENKEL; PARAMOUNT; TRINITY; RAMAZZOTTI; SSL HEALTHCARE; SAGIT; PERFETTI

PRODUCT: Hypermarkets (5321); Grocery Stores (5411); Food Retailing (5400);
EVENT: Commodity & Service Prices (72); Production Management (23); Use of Materials & Supplies (46);
COUNTRY: Italy (4ITA);

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09069305
Rendite in Wellpappenindustrie katastrophal
GERMANY: CORRUGATED BOARD PRODUCERS
Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung (FA) 05 Mar 1999 p.20
Language: GERMAN

For the fourth time in a row German corrugated cardboard producers reported an operating loss for the business year 1998. The industry's turnover rose by 4.4% to DM 5.24bn. The negative return on sales shrank by 0.1 percentage points to 3.8%. Sales rose by 1.8% to 3.65mn tonnes. The 3.5% increase in raw material prices had a negative effect on the profit development. The corrugated cardboard industry's association expects a further consolidation in the sector. However, the consolidation process will only lead to "minor synergetic effects". An improvement for the industry is not in sight in 1999. Turnover will no longer rise. In the fourth quarter of 1998 turnover decreased - for the first time in three years - compared to year-earlier level. The trend continued in January 1999. Raw material prices will probably increase further, forecast the association.

PRODUCT: Corrugated & Packaging Board (2631CB);
EVENT: Market & Industry News (60); Company Reports & Accounts (83);
COUNTRY: Germany (4GER);

18/5/7 (Item 6 from file: 583)
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09060032
Elba proposes revocation of profit guaranteepact
MALAYSIA: ELBA PLANS FOR REVOCATIONS OF PGSA
Business Times Malaysia (XAR) 15 Feb 1999 p. 5
Language: ENGLISH

Malaysian garment manufacturer, Elba Holdings Bhd (Elba) said that in view of the unrealistic projection of its profit before tax for 2 fiscal years (ending December 1998 and 1999) following the current economic downturn, the firm has made a proposal for revocation of the profit

guarantee and stake holders agreement (PGSA) for 24 June 1999. The proposal includes waiver of the guaranteed cumulative pre-tax profit (RM 16.65 mn) for fiscal year ending December 1998 and 1999. Its manufacturing costs rose as most raw materials are imported based on US dollar. In line with the economic downturn, the firm's profit is expected to drop in the future. Meanwhile, it plans to issue warrants up to 14 mn units to shareholders, as compensation for Elba's minority shareholders.

COMPANY: ELBA HOLDINGS
PRODUCT: Apparel & Related Products (2300);
EVENT: Company Financial Data (80);
COUNTRY: Malaysia (9MAO);

18/5/8 (Item 7 from file: 583)
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09029496
Drug Maker Mylan May Face Charges From U.S. Panel
US: MYLAN MAY FACE ANITITRUST CHARGES OVER PRICES
Wall Street Journal Europe (WSJ) 07 Dec 1998 p.5
Language: ENGLISH

Mylan Laboratories Inc., a US based generic drug manufacturer, may face antitrust charges from the US Federal Trade Commission (FTC) concerning price increases in its drugs, particularly lorazepam, and anti-stress drug, which caused the May 1998 producer price index to register a 585% increase in tranquiliser prices. The price hike followed an exclusive agreement between Mylan and a key supplier, and affected thousands of patients who rely on the drug. Mylan is confident that the FTC will be unable to bring a credible charge against the company. *

COMPANY: FTC; FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION; MYLAN LABORATORIES
PRODUCT: Central Nervous System Preps (2834CN);
EVENT: National Government Economics (94); Marketing Procedures (24);
COUNTRY: United States (1USA);

18/5/9 (Item 8 from file: 583)
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06574137
sjunkande priser bakslag for avesta sheffield
SWEDEN: EFFECTS ON SPECIAL STEEL INDUSTRY
Dagens Industri (DI) 20 Jan. 1998 p. 10
Language: SWEDISH

The paper reports on the shifting effects on prices for Nickel, Vanadium, Wolfram and other metals on the Swedish steel industry. With the possible exception of Avesta Sheffield, the industry isn't adversely affected by the present World market situation at large. The rest of the Swedish steel industry aren't subject to any negative effects on the drop in Nickel prices to any noticeable degree, as prices for Cobalt, Vanadium and Wolfram instead increase. The manufactured steel qualities and their composition are of course the relevant factor in this context. At SSAB, some 375 000

tons of galvanised and Aluminium - Zinc coated thin plate is manufactured every year, mainly to the construction industry. Vice MD Anders Ullberg notes that the company does gain marginal profits on the low Aluminium and Zinc prices, and the same might apply to a certain extent for manufacturers to the automotive industry and other thin plate markets. Era Steel Kloster notes a 20 - 40 percent price increase for Cobalt (lower increase) and Vanadium and Wolfram (higher figures) and MD Ingemar Skoog comments that as these metals represent up to a third of the materials costs , the trend does affect the picture for this firm, even if there are some possibilities for compensation through customer price adjustments.

COMPANY: ERA STEEL KLOSTER; SSAB; AVESTA SHEFFIELD
PRODUCT: Steel (3312ST);
EVENT: Commodity & Service Prices (72); Market & Industry News (60);
COUNTRY: Sweden (5SWE);

18/5/10 (Item 9 from file: 583)
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06506027
Vorsteuergewinn bei Continental springt um 73%
GERMANY: CONTINENTAL, MICHELIN TO COOPERATE
Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung (FA) 12 Aug 1997 p.16;Handelsblatt, 12 Aug 1997, p.14
Language: GERMAN

The European Commission will approve the planned alliance of the German Hanover-based tyres producer Continental AG with the French Michelin group, according to Continental. The two largest European tyres producers are to cooperate in the production of low price tyres, marketing, remoulding, waste disposal, material supply and systems selling. An equally owned joint venture is planned. Continental is to contribute the plants in the Czech Republic and a 25% stake in the subsidiary Vergoelst, Michelin the rights of the Uniroyal brand. The cooperation could increase profits of both partners by up to DM 100mn.

COMPANY: UNIROYAL; VERGOELST; CONTINENTAL; MICHELIN
PRODUCT: Tyres (3011);
EVENT: Company Formation (14);
COUNTRY: Germany (4GER); France (4FRA);

18/5/13 (Item 12 from file: 583)
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06274260
Trotz Rekordgewinns nicht zufrieden
NETHERLANDS: AKZO NOBEL 1995
Handelsblatt (HT) 27 Feb 1996 p.11
Language: GERMAN

Akzo Nobel N.V. of Arnheim, the largest Dutch chemical group, posted a net profit of Fl 1.314bn (up from Fl 1.178bn) on a turnover of Fl 21.488bn (down 3% from Fl 22.208bn) in 1995. Gross percentage return on

sales , which is to be raised by 0.5%-points annually, grew from 8.7% to 9.2%. On the balance sheet press conference, chairman Cees van Lede pointed out the slack economy and unfavourable exchange rates. Due to declining volumes and prices, turnover in the chemicals division shrank by 7% to Fl 7.342bn and operating profit by 15% to Fl 608mn. The paints and coatings division suffered under the high rise in raw material prices and posted a 9% decline in operating profit to Fl 474mn on a turnover of Fl 6.840bn (down from Fl 6.887bn). The pharmaceutical division saw an increase in operating profit by 15% to Fl 750mn and in turnover from Fl 3.669bn to Fl 3.774bn. Pharmaceutical subsidiary Organon Laboratories Ltd of Cambridge, however, suffered a substantial turnover loss in contraceptives due to warnings about the thrombosis risk of contraceptive pills. The fibre division almost doubled profits to Fl 158mn although turnover declined slightly, from Fl 3.628bn to Fl 3.584bn. Problems in this segment arose from the static sales of German car manufacturers and the high increase in raw material prices.

COMPANY: ORGANON LABORATORIES; AKZO NOBEL

PRODUCT: Paints & Allied Products (2850); Noncellulosic Fibers (2824); Chemicals & Allied Products (2800); Pharmaceutical Preparations (2834); Drugs & Pharmaceuticals (2830);
EVENT: Company Reports & Accounts (83);
COUNTRY: Netherlands (4NET);

18/5/14 (Item 13 from file: 583)
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06263051
KF LOVAR TUFFA TAG
SWEDEN: KF PROMISES TO CONTROL DISTRIBUTORS
Dagens Nyheter (XSU) 02 Feb 1996 s. C12
Language: SWEDISH

When the voluntary freeze of consumer price levels within the daily retail and foodstuffs sector in Sweden ends at 1 March, 1996; the co-operative retail corporation KF (Kooperativa F6rbundet) has no plans of implementing new freeze agreements , says KF Information Director Lennart Jacobsson. On the other hand, KF has already sent out a form to around 500 of its foodstuffs suppliers, and informed these producing companies that any increase of price levels doesn't correspond with the present KF policy. The voluntary price freeze was agreed on by the three oligopolists KF, Ica and Dagab in order to conform with the Governmental goal of lower prices and more compensation to consumers as a result of a decrease in the general value added sales tax level, following EU demands last year.

COMPANY: DAGAB; ICA; KOOPERATIVA FORBUNDET; KF
PRODUCT: Food Retailing (5400); Food & Drink (2000);
EVENT: Commodity & Service Prices (72); Taxation (92);
COUNTRY: Sweden (5SWE);

18/5/15 (Item 14 from file: 583)
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06239822
El precio del circonio ahoga al mercado del esmalte ceramico
SPAIN: CONCERN OVER ZIRCONIUM PRICES
Cinco Dias (CDS) 07 Dec 1995 p. 9
Language: SPANISH

Spain's producers of ceramic enamels and 'fritas' have called on the government for help in addressing the problems caused by the continuous increases in the price of their main raw material, zirconium. The sector, made up of 22 companies with 1994 turnover of Pta 60,000mn including exports of Pta 27,000mn, has said that prices are volatile because of the practical monopoly enjoyed by a few companies in South Africa and Australia. The regional government of Valencia, where most of the companies are located, has commissioned a study into the zirconium market. Meanwhile, the ceramics industry is investigating possible alternatives to the mineral.

PRODUCT: Stone, Sand & Gravel (1401); Sand Extraction (1440SD); Vitreous Plumbing Fixtures (3261);
EVENT: Commodity & Service Prices (72);
COUNTRY: Spain (4SPA);

18/5/16 (Item 15 from file: 583)
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06178650
When even your pasta goes Blobby
UK: GREATER USE OF CHARACTER ADVERTISING
Daily Telegraph (DT) 17 Jul 1995 p.14
Language: ENGLISH

An average royalty cost of 3-5% out of the total cost of making a food product is imposed on manufacturers when they use a well known children's entertainment character on the packaging of the item to help advertise it, however, the mark up retail price can sometimes be a lot higher. For examples here is a 44% price difference between ordinary HP sauce and the same product with a 'Sonic the Hedgehog' logo on the packaging. Surveys have found that branded food good sales are higher when adults do their shopping with their children, and manufacturers are increasingly using such character based packaging to get kids to pressure their parents into buying more expensive alternatives. In the UK the licensing industry for such items is worth GB# 5mn.

PRODUCT: Food & Drink (2000); Public Affairs (9919);
EVENT: Sales & Consumption (65);
COUNTRY: United Kingdom (4UK);

18/5/18 (Item 17 from file: 583)
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06088903

Microsoft's marketing sparks complaints
  US: COMPLAINTS ABOUT WINDOWS 95 MARKETING
Wall Street Journal Europe (WSJ) 13 Dec 1994 p.4
Language: ENGLISH

US software company Microsoft is being accused of using unfair marketing tactics by some of its major customers. It demands new terms which make PC makers commit themselves to the new operating system but some are complaining that these violate the terms of the company's consent decree agreed with the Department of Justice five months ago. Analysts are predicting that Microsoft will agree to a price increase of between 15% and 20% for Windows 95 which would mean that computer producers would pay around USD 43 a machine for Windows 95. If accepting a number of different marketing steps, US PC makers can cut their royalty payments as much as USD 20 a machine. Some PC makers complain they are forced to sign the agreements because if they do not sign up they will be charged higher prices than their competitors. However, Compaq and Packard Bell Electronics have defended Microsoft and have no complaints.

COMPANY: DEPT OF JUSTICE; PACKARD BELL; COMPAQ; MICROSOFT
PRODUCT: Computer Software (7372);
EVENT: Marketing Procedures (24);
COUNTRY: United States (1USA);

18/5/19 (Item 18 from file: 583)
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06087369
U.S. Judge Warn That Evidence To Fight Takeover by B.A.T. Is 'Shaky'
  US: BLOCK ON BAT TAKEOVER LACKS STRENGTH
Wall Street Journal Europe (WSJ) 09/10 Dec 1994 p.3
Language: ENGLISH

Claims that cigarette prices in the US would rise if American Brands, a unit of American Tobacco, were acquired by BAT Industries, have been criticised by a District Judge for being untenable. The claims were made by an economist at the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), which is attempting to prevent the takeover until it can undertake a full review of the deal. The economist says that further concentration in the market would result in price increases due to unstated agreements between the remaining five cigarette manufacturers.

COMPANY: AMERICAN TOBACCO; BAT INDUSTRIES; AMERICAN BRANDS
EVENT: Company Acquisitions (16);
COUNTRY: United States (1USA);

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06000288
Shipping cartel drives up family shopping bills
  UK: TAA PUSHING UP GOODS PRICES
Sunday Times (ST) 12 Jun 1994 p.7

Language: ENGLISH

Working from its offices in Crawley, UK, the Trans-Atlantic Agreement - the world shipping cartel - has increased shipping charges by 100% over the last two years and is pushing up the prices of goods coming to the UK market, claim manufacturers . Confidential documents belonging to Allied Lyons reveal that high shipping rates make its Irish Mist liquer hard to sell in the US while documents from Guinness reveal that the company recently increased the price of its stout to the US by 5% because of shipping rates. Manufacturers believe the cartel that stops them negotiating lower rates contravenes the principles of fair competition and the EC is to investigate. However the TAA points out that rates are lower than they were five years ago and that the cartel is legal due to EC granted exemptions. The EC is reviewing this. If rate-fixing activities are banned by the commission the 15 members of TAA are threatening to boycott UK ports.
COMPANY: GUINNESS; ALLIED LYONS; TRANS-ATLANTIC AGREEMENT
PRODUCT: Water Transportation (4400);
EVENT: Commodity & Service Prices (72); National Government Economics (94);
COUNTRY: General Worldwide (0W);

18/5/22 (Item 21 from file: 583)
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05962419
Prices for imported goods continue rise
TAIWAN: PRICE RISE SEEN IN IMPORTED LASER DISK
The China News (XKU) 18 Mar 1994 p.12
Language: ENGLISH

In Taiwan, according to a study conducted by the Fair Trade Commission (FTC), price rise were seen in imported compact and laser disks, home video game systems and computer software during the period between July 1993 and February 1994, e.g. the prices of laser disk increased by 8.31% during the 8 months period. The growing prices were attributed to the US demand and pressure on Taiwan to protect intellectual property rights , and the ROC's determination to crack down on parallel importers and to amend existing laws to increase the penalties for violators.

PRODUCT: Electronic Games (3651EG); Consumer Electronics (3650); Optical Storage (3679OP);
EVENT: Commodity & Service Prices (72); Market & Industry News (60); Foreign Trade (64);
COUNTRY: Taiwan (9TAI);

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DIALOG(R)File 474:New York Times Abs
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00970722 NYT Sequence Number: 088558790225
(Essex County (NJ) Bar Assn Real Estate Commission chmn Arthur S Horn advises new home buyers on negotiating builder's contract. Says

contract should provide option to terminate in event of construction delays and stipulate that builder must obtain owners' permission to substitute materials. Suggests that price escalation clause be excluded from contract.Horn photo. Table of random selection of recent NJ home sales (part I) (M).)
RAND, ELLEN
New York Times, Col. 3, Pg. 6, Sec. 11
Sunday February 25 1979
DOCUMENT TYPE: Newspaper JOURNAL CODE: NYT LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Abstract

SPECIAL FEATURES: Table
DESCRIPTORS: BUILDING; CONTRACTS AND OTHER SALES AGREEMENTS; FINANCES; HOUSING; PRICES; REAL ESTATE; CONSUMER BEHAVIOR; CONSUMERS AND CONSUMERISM; CONSUMERS AND CONSUMPTION; CONSUMER PROTECTION; CONSUMER COMPLAINTS
PERSONAL NAMES: RAND, ELLEN; HORN, ARTHUR S (ATTY)
GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: NEW JERSEY

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00782586 NYT Sequence Number: 053364770217
(Colombia proposes plan to other Internatl Coffee Agreement members to establish maximum and minimum price range for coffee trading. Adoption of plan requires support in Internatl Coffee Agreement of US, largest importer, and Brazil, largest exporter. Colombia hopes plan will elicit cooperation of consuming countries when conditions of overproduction return, probably in '78. Coffee producers concede that elasticity of production and consumer behavior makes market different from that of oil. Colombian and Brazilian coffee officials are confident that study, commissioned by Internatl Coffee Agreement's governing bd, will dispel charge that producers and roasters are withholding stocks to increase prices. Colombian official claims that commodities speculators have gained control of market, because roasters, whose green coffee inventories have been depleted, are now forced to buy at scarcity prices. Photo (M).)
ONIS, JUAN DE
New York Times, Col. 1, Pg. 56
Thursday February 17 1977
DOCUMENT TYPE: Newspaper JOURNAL CODE: NYT LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Abstract
SPECIAL FEATURES: Photo
COMPANY NAMES: COFFEE AGREEMENT, INTERNATIONAL
DESCRIPTORS: COFFEE; COMMODITY AGREEMENTS; FUTURES TRADING; INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND WORLD MARKET; PRICES; PRODUCTION; REFORM AND REORGANIZATION (INSTITUTIONAL)
PERSONAL NAMES: ONIS, JUAN DE
GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: BRAZIL; COLOMBIA; UNITED STATES

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(Lukens Steel and Phoenix Steel file requests with Cost of Living Council for increases in carbon steel plate and plate product prices by $6 a ton to $176 a ton; raise price $12 a ton to $275 a ton for full alloy plates and products; Alan Wood Steel Co also makes price increase request; Phillips Petroleum increases prices for most purchases of crude oil in 5 states and on Gulf Coast; Northern Indiana Public Service Co will pass on to customers lower cost of natural gas bought from 3 pipeline suppliers who lowered costs by total of $933,710; asks Indiana Public Service Commission permission to lower rates proportionately)
New York Times, Col. 5, Pg. 35
Saturday August 25 1973
DOCUMENT TYPE: Newspaper JOURNAL CODE: NYT LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Abstract

COMPANY NAMES: ALAN WOOD STEEL CO; COST OF LIVING COUNCIL; LUKENS STEEL CO; NORTHERN INDIANA PUBLIC SERVICE CO; PHILLIPS PETROLEUM CO; PHOENIX STEEL CORP
DESCRIPTORS: ECONOMIC CONDITIONS AND TRENDS; PIPELINES; PRICES; STEEL AND IRON; WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS
GEOGRAPHIC NAMES: COLORADO; KANSAS; NEW MEXICO; OKLAHOMA; TEXAS; UNITED STATES (1973 PART 1)

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STABILIZING THE COCOA MARKET: A QUARTERLY ECONOMETRIC APPLICATION USING OPTIMAL CONTROL THEORY (DEVELOPMENT, POLICY, MODELLING)
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The increased commodity price instability of the 1970s has led to successive international negotiations on commodity agreements, the cornerstone of which are buffer stocks programs.

This study uses cocoa, a "core" UNCTAD commodity, as a benchmark to assess the potential for commodity buffer stocking. Cocoa agreements, past and present, have met with limited success, primarily due to the lack of participation of the major actors. It is attempted to explain this situation and evaluate the trade offs associated with various policy arrangements and price levels.

A quarterly econometric model of the world cocoa market is constructed and estimated for the sample period 1960-82. A buffer stock rule is developed by applying optimal control theory and target prices identified. Optimal cocoa buffer stock levels are derived along with corresponding welfare impacts on producers and consumers.

The findings of the study are: (1) A quarterly econometric model provides results that are consistent with theoretical expectations, and gives greater insights into short-run market relationships that do annual models. (2) Futures prices and inventory allocation are important factors in the estimation and dynamic simulation of the cocoa market, factors overlooked in most studies. (3) Price elasticities are low for both supply and demand, and habit formation is found to be important in determining consumption. (4) For the historical period considered, equilibrium prices were lower than the 1981 ICCO cocoa target prices but higher than earlier targets. (5) Buffer stock stabilization for cocoa can be achieved, but reducing the resulting large optimal stocks would necessitate a compromise on price targets by both producers and consumers. (6) Producers tend to lose from stabilization because of the high market prices that prevailed during the period under consideration. Some of these losses are offset by producers' gains as processors and consumers of cocoa.

The overall policy recommendation from this study is that producers and consumers should cooperate to establish a broad-based commodity agreement with equilibrium prices used as targets, with provision for producer compensation. Compensation should be directed toward developing processing facilities in producing countries, and complementing other stabilization policies.

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1764940 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BAST97000134
Geneva and Gulf States file antidumping suits
New Steel v. 12 (Dec. '96) p. 12-13
DOCUMENT TYPE: Feature Article ISSN: 1074-1690 LANGUAGE: English
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ABSTRACT: In late October 1996, Gulf States Steel of Gadsden, Alabama, and Geneva Steel of Vineyard, Utah, filed antidumping petitions with the Department of Commerce and the International Trade Commission against imports of cut-to-length plate from Russia, Ukraine, China, and South Africa. The steelmakers charge that dumping margins range from 6.66-33.87 percent for South Africa and 210.61-274.12 percent for Ukraine. According to John Lefler, president of Gulf States Steel, imports from these named countries have been coming into U.S. ports in record quantities. He says that much of this carbon plate is being offered at prices of over $100 per ton under U.S. market prices but that domestic steel buyers do not benefit from these low prices, as the trading companies that import the material mark up the prices before reselling it locally. Lefler says that Geneva and Gulf States were affected earlier than producers in the U.S. North and East, as much of the imported plate is coming into Geneva's market in the Southwest and Gulf States' market in the Southeast. No other U.S. platemakers joined the petitions, but many were in accordance with the allegations.

DESCRIPTORS: Steel industry--United States--Imports problem; Dumping (Commercial policy); Steel plates;

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CO2 system is for food-service PS; German reuse law aids global sales
Leaversuch, Robert D; Culp, Eric
Modern Plastics v. 70 (Nov. '93) p. 82+
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ABSTRACT: Recent developments in plastics recycling are detailed. With an impending ban on the use of hydrochlorofluorocarbon-22, a process that uses 100 percent carbon dioxide (CO2) as the blowing agent to fabricate extruded polystyrene foam sheet is gaining market acceptance. The system, which can be retrofitted to extrusion equipment, requires only limited new equipment. Licensees pay an up-front fee and royalties, but this cost is said to be balanced by the lower cost of the CO2 raw material. In another development, national recycling laws may be causing problems for German plastics processors and end-users. However, according to a German Ministry of Environment official, these recycling efforts will lead to export advantages in the long-term. Germany's 21 percent share of the world market for environmental systems is presently growing by 7 percent per year. This commitment to recycling was reflected in the high attendance and innovative equipment on display at the Recycla Europe show in Wiesbaden, Germany.

DESCRIPTORS: Plastics--Blowing; Carbon dioxide--Industrial applications; Recycling--Laws and regulations;

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TITLE: IGS: Friend or Foe?
AUTHOR: Zarley, Craig; Garner, Rochelle
SOURCE: CRN, v1080 p16(4) Jan 26, 2004
ISSN: 0893-8377
HOMEPAGE: http://www.crn.com
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IBM Global Services (IGS) is working to improve alliances with other vendors. It has signed an agreement with Ingram Micro's VentureTech Network that allows VentureTech to act as an IGS subcontractor. IGS has developed procedures to minimize the kind of channel conflict it has been known for in the past. IGS has made compensation structure for its sales staff neutral with regard to direct sales vs. sales through partners, and to encourage its sales force to work with channel partners. While some companies welcome becoming an IGS partner, others are wary that IGS will still compete with its partners. IGS is twice as big as the next largest competitor in its market, EDS. IGS still has challenges in overcoming system integrators' reluctance to partner with IGS. Solution providers believe that IGS' new approach will help it serve midmarket customers better. Working with IGS has been difficult in the past because of price markups and inadequate compensation to its solutions providers. The work IGS has done to understand solutions providers is improving the situation. IGS still offers IBM products first to its clients. IGS cares most about long-term

relationships with its customers.

COMPANY NAME: IBM Corp (351245)
DESCRIPTORS: Consulting for Design & Programming
REVISION DATE: 20090700

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Nonwovens Industry, v31, n10, pp42-44,46,48,50,52, 2000
Document type: journal article Language: English
Record type: Abstract
ISSN: 0163-4429

ABSTRACT:
When the individual sectors of the nonwovens industry are broken out by amount of material consumed rather than sales percentage, the geotextiles market is by far the leader of the pack. With an estimated consumption of more than 300 million square yards in North America alone - and an expected annual growth rate in the double digits - the geotextile market is largely made up of needle-punched nonwovens, with spunbond beginning to take a greater market share. The geotextile market is broken down into product segments, such as drainage, erosion control, soil separation/stabilisation, landfill/waste containment and asphalt overlays. Of these markets, soil separation and stabilisation is considered the largest with 35 % of the total market, according to industry estimates. One company that works to teach the benefits of using geotextile materials is Synthetic Industry, Chattanooga. Even the government is starting to see the long-term benefits that geotextile offer. As a result of the strong economic conditions in the US, the government has begun to increase its focus on the long-term conditions of roads, bridges and sewer systems. One example of this trend is the passage of the Transportation Equity Act For The 21st Century, which commits billions of dollars to take proactive positions on US transportation projects. Creating a set of national geotextiles standards is not the only issue the US and European regions have in common. On both sides of the Atlantic, the market for nonwoven geotextiles is extremely competitive as roll goods producers battle for market-share. In the US, additional capacity and increased raw material prices have added up to very low selling prices. Competition is also a key issue for the Indian geotextile market, which is a market that has yet to reach maturity. Only the fittest domestic manufacturers will be able to survive in such a competitive situation. Due to the fact that nonwoven geotextiles producers continue to advance their market-share through new product offerings, end-user education and niche opportunities, the geotextiles market holds obvious growth potential.

DESCRIPTORS: GEOTEXTILES; INDUSTRIAL TEXTILES; MARKET ANALYSIS; ECONOMIC STUDY; ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; ROAD CONSTRUCTION; DRAINAGE--LAND; AMPLIFICATION
IDENTIFIERS: Geotextil; wirtschaftliche Entwicklung

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Maxell Sees Blank CD-R Price Increase
Business Wire
Wednesday, May 16, 2001  09:29 EDT
JOURNAL CODE:  BW  LANGUAGE:  ENGLISH  RECORD TYPE:  FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE:  NEWSWIRE
WORD COUNT: 356

TEXT:
Maxell Corporation of America
has said that it has been receiving price increases from
Taiwanese manufacturers on CD-R blank media of about 30% and is expecting
further increases in coming months.

According to Don Patrican, executive vice president of Maxell, the
increases have come as a result of higher manufacturing and material
costs and more vigorous enforcement of royalty agreements.


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WILLIAM GREENBERG JR. DESSERTS AND CAFES, INC. Announces 1996 Third Quarter and Nine Months Results

DATE: December 2, 1996 15:51 EST WORD COUNT: 748

...The increased cost of sales as a percentage of sales is attributable to increases in baking personnel and labor rates, development costs of new baked products and increases in the cost of ingredients and packaging materials. Selling, general and administrative expenses also increased due to the additional retail locations, additional management and administrative personnel and increased compensation paid to prior management personnel pursuant to consulting agreements . We are continuing to reduce our selling, general and administrative expenses through reductions in personnel and salaries of members of senior management. Certain ingredients in our baked products which increased sharply in price in the previous quarter have returned to more normal levels in the current quarter."

GREENBERG'S also announced that in the current quarter it has...

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Quinton Cardiology Systems, Inc. Acquires Medical Treadmill Line from The Nautilus Group, Inc.
BUSINESS WIRE
October 02, 2002
JOURNAL CODE: WBWE LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 661

... other risks are more fully described under the caption "Risk Factors" included in the Prospectus and other documents, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by Quinton Cardiology Systems, Inc. Quinton undertakes no duty or obligation to update the information provided herein.

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REVIEW OF REGIONAL LEGISLATION
INTERFAX
February 01, 2000
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 2444

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... for retail outlets at 40%. The resolution approves the procedure of forming the prices of such commodities. It says that the leftover medicines and medical goods in retail and wholesale trade for January 1 should be sold at prices set earlier. Altai territory on December 19 introduced provisional measures to regulate the prices of socially significant commodities. An appropriate resolution of the...

... and districts were advised to regulate the prices of commodities from the list by setting ceilings on factory prices and a maximum markup. The maximum supplier markup should not exceed 5%. The price regulation will remain in force until July 1. MISCELLANEOUS The parliament of Buryatiya on January 13 passed a...

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A Blueprint for Sales Growth
Paradise, David J.
Business Computer Systems v2n4 PP: 104-113 Apr 1983
ISSN: 0745-0745 JRNL CODE: BCS

ABSTRACT: Some companies have discovered that computer-generated sales analyses allow them to spot trends in sales and fluctuations in material costs as they are developing, which results in being able to meet the competition and hold profit margins. With the proper combination of software, businesses can...

...profit margins on an item-by-item basis, to determine which products are earning acceptable profits and which are not. The company then restructures the commission-rate tables on each item to spur salespeople to push this merchandise. Sales analyses can be beneficial to nearly every type of business, regardless of size. Such reports can help the manufacturer control the cost of production, the seller to establish inventory levels, and the distributor to assess the performance of its salesforce. These reports can be generated by a single package or a series of modules...

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01469313 Supplier Number: 23758401 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
DISTRIBUTION OF MEDICAL PRODUCTS - PHARMACEUTICALS
(The US drug wholesaling industry distributes over $60 bil of pharmaceuticals, health and beauty care products and other related merchandise; the industry's revenues are estimated at $72 bil in 1997)
Medical & Healthcare Marketplace Guide, p N/A
January 1997
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Industry Overview (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 3008

TEXT:
...wholesalers: Over the past decade, manufacturers of pharmaceuticals have significantly increased the distribution of their products through wholesalers as the cost and complexity of maintaining inventories and arranging for delivery of pharmaceutical products has risen. Drug wholesalers offer their customers and suppliers more efficient distribution and inventory management plus a wide variety of value-added services. As a result, from 1980 to 1995 for example, the percentage of pharmaceutical sales through wholesale drug distributors increased from approximately 46% to approximately 70%. Order processing, inventory management and product delivery by wholesale drug distributors allow manufacturers to...

...wholesale drug distributors that are targeted to the specific needs of these customers which, in turn, reduce their costs and increase their operating efficiencies. - Pharmaceutical price increases by drug manufacturers: Price increases by pharmaceutical manufacturers will probably continue to equal or exceed the overall Consumer Price Index. These increases will be due, in large part, to the relatively inelastic demand in the face of higher prices charged for patented drugs as manufacturers have attempted...

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08780440 Supplier Number: 76335051 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Price increases won't scare off blank CD shoppers, Maxell says.(Brief Article)
Drug Store News, v23, n8, p170
June 25, 2001
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Article Type: Brief Article
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 231

According to Don Patrican, executive vice president of Maxell, the increases have come as a result of higher manufacturing and material costs, along with the vigorous enforcement of royalty agreements. Some of the various royalty agreements between CD-R manufacturers and technology patent holders were still in negotiations by the end of May, Patrican noted, but "once the royalties have been finalized, manufacturers will reflect them in their pricing strategies."

But Patrican does not believe increased CD-R prices represent bad news. According to Patrican, the 60 percent sales increases of CD-R and CD-RW drives worldwide is strong evidence of the overall...

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DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
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16375671 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 106514686 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
U.S. international transactions, first quarter 2003.
Weinberg, Douglas B.; Abaroa, Patricia E.
Survey of Current Business, 83, 7, 49(65)
July, 2003

ISSN: 0039-6222 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 77595 LINE COUNT: 27987

... the first quarter from $116.1 billion in the fourth. The deficit on goods increased, and the surplus on services decreased.

Goods

The deficit on goods increased to $136.0 billion in the first quarter from $132.2 billion in the fourth, as imports increased more than exports.

Exports. Goods exports...

...2.4 billion, or 1 percent, to $173.3 billion in the first quarter, following a decline in the fourth quarter. Real exports and export prices both increased less than 1 percent (table C). (2) In value, the largest increases in exports were to Western Europe and to Canada.

Industrial supplies and materials increased $2.1 billion, or 5 percent, accounting for most of the increase in total exports. Industrial supplies and materials have increased for four consecutive quarters, largely as a result of rising prices. Chemicals increased $0.8 billion, largely to Western Europe and Canada. Energy products, mainly fuels and lubricants, increased $0.6 billion, largely to Latin America, Canada, and...

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Source: PC Week; 5/30/94, Vol. 11 Issue 21, Inside pA/1, 2p, 1 color

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